



DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

Connect Group to Each Other

1. When you were growing up, what Olympic event was your favorite to watch?
2. Who was your favorite Olympic "hero"?
3. What was your favorite sport to compete at growing up?

Connect Group to God

In the message we learned that Godly rules help us live better lives. They are not random legalistic points so we can appease God, but rather a true way forward to a better life. Commandments like "do not murder," "do not steal," "do not commit adultery," or "do not covet" are not simply rules. People use the 10 Commandments as a compass for living live a better life and give respect to their neighbor.

1. What rules did your parents have that you have used or will use with your children?
2. What rules did your parents have that you will not use?
3. If you could add a commandment to the 10 Commandments what would it be?

Apply the Teaching

At the end of the message we learned that Jewish teachers taught children to taste honey after reciting the Bible. They wanted them to realize God's Word makes life sweet. We are also called to follow God's rules. This is not a call to perfectionism or to earn your salvation. We are sinners and we won't measure up. That's why we have a savior. Living out God's Word is about responding to Jesus' free gift of salvation by stopping all negotiation with God and following Jesus with your life.

1. How could the world change if Christians lived out God's Word, without negotiation?
2. Read 2 Timothy 2:1-9 and share what grabs you from the verses.
3. At the end of your study, have everyone share their favorite Scripture and after each one is read taste something sweet.

